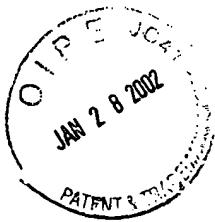


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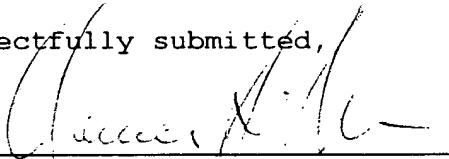
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The above-identified patent application has a corresponding European Patent Application No. 01108375.5.

Applicant's attorney encloses a copy of a European Search Report issued on the corresponding European Patent Application No. 01108375.5. The Search Report cited United States Patent No. 6,023,765, European Patent Application No. EP 1035485 A2, and "Process-Oriented Approach for Role-Finding to Implement Role-Based Security Administration in a Large Industrial Organization", Roeckle et al., ACM Role-Based Access Control Workshop, 2000, pages 103-110.

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